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ABSTRACT.

SANITARY ENGINEERING BRANCH - Reorganization into an indupendent unit - Santioned.

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EDUCARION & PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 2616 Dated the 21st July 1949.

Read the following:-

From the Chief Engineer (General) Letter 5178 Ad1/47-10 dated 31-5-1948.

From the Chief Engineer (General) Letter 5178 Ad.14 dated 30-11-1948.

From the Additional Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, No. 1874-Ad.1/48-9 dated 11-6-1949.

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O R D E R:

In the work of providing water supply and drainage Schemes for urban areas, the investigation and the design of the schemes are at present attended to by the Sanitary Enginerring Branch and the execution of the schemes by the Public Works Branch. The execution of the schemes by the Public Works staff in the normal course of their duties has been found to be unsatisfactory and to be a cause of delay. The water-supply and Drainage Committee which recently condidered the ways and means of accelerating the provision of water supply and drainage schemes has put in a strong plea for doing away with this dual agency and for the constitution of a separate Public Health Engineering Department. The Committee recommended that the entire work of investigation, planning, execution, etc., of all water supply and drainage schemes as well as works pertaining to the Public Health Engineering in general should be entrusted to the unified control of that department.

2. The Government after carefully considering this recommendation of the Committee have decided that as a proliminary to the formation of a separate Public Health Engineering Department the work of executing the schemes should be transferred from the public works branch to the Sanitary Engineering Branch and that the Sanitary Engineering Branch should be reorganised into an independent unit. The Sanitary Engineer will be the head of the reorganised Branch and will act as a Superintending Engineer of a Province wide circle under the control of the Additional Chief Engineer, Public Works Department. He will have five Executive Engineers (Public Healt under him (three new Executive Engineers in addition to the two existing) to start with, two of them at Madras attached to his office and the other three located at Coimbatore, Tiruchirapalli and Vijayawada. In the transition stage the Executive Engineer of one of the divisions-Coimbatore-will remain under the Superintending Engineer of the Public Works Department. The Jurisdiction of the five Executive Engineers will be as follows:-

(i) Executive Engineer (Public Health) South, Madras (Head quarters Madras) -- North Arcot, Chinglepat, and South Arcot districts.

(ii) Executive Engineer (Public Health) North Madras (Head quarters Madras) -- Chittoor, Nellore and Cuddapah districts.

(iii) Executive Engineer (Public Health), Vijayawada (Head quarters Vijayawada) - Anantapur, Kurnool, Bellary, Guntur Kistna, East Godavari, West Godavari and Vishakhapatnam districts.

(iv) Executive Engineer (Public Health) Tiruchirapalli (Head Quarters Tiruchirapalli) - Tanjore, Tiruchirapalli, Mathurai, Ramnad and Tirunelveli districts.

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(x) (v) Executive Engineer (Public Health) Coimbatore-(Head-Quarters Coimbatore) - Coimbatore, Salem, Nilgiris, Malabar, Nilgiris, Malabar and South Kanara districts.

These Executive Engineers(Public Health) will investigate schemes and forward their reports to the Sanitary Engineer. Plans and estimates will be prepared in the Sanitary Engineer Office. The Schemes will then be executed by the Executive Engineers (Public Health) The Executive Engineers will also supervise works aunder execution by the Municipal Engineers, deal with references from Municipal Councils and carry out periodical inspection of the schemes in operation. The two Executive Engineers with headquarters at Madras will in addition to the work of their respective Divisions, attend to the design work in the Sanitary Engineer's office and technical reference coming up to the Sanitary Engineer.

3. The Government sanction the creation of three additional divisions, eight sub-divisions and 20 sections and the employment of the following additional staff required for the reorganisation of the Sanitary Engineering Branch:-

I Sanitary Engineer's Office

Administrative Section.

1. Senior Superintendent (190-240) in lieu of the existing Manager's post.
1 Junior Superintendent (140-190)
2 Upper Division Clerks (80-110)
1 Steno-typist (45-90)

Technical section.

1 Assistant Engineer (260-500)
1 Draftsman G.I. (150-180)
1 -do- Gr.II.(120-150)
3 -do- Gr.III.(70-120)
1 Typist (45-90)
4 Peons (18-25).

II. Executive Engineers (Public Health) Southern and Northern Circles to be newly styled as South and North Madras Divisions.

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South Madras Division.

1. Draftsman, Grade II (120-150)
1. Tracer, (35-55)
1. Divisional Accountant(130-355)
1. Upper Division Clerk (80-110)
1. Lower Division Clerk (45-90)
2. Peons (18-25)

North Madras Division

1 Draftsman, Gr. II (120-150)
1 Tracer (35-55)
1 Divisional Accountant(130-355)
1 Upper Division Clerk (80-110)
1 Lower Division Clerk (45-90).
2 Peons. (18-25).

III. Additional staff for each of the 3 divisions at Tiruchirapalli, Vijayawada & Coimbatore.

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1. Executive Engineer (500-850)
1. Manager & Divisional Accountant (130-355)
33 Upper Division Clerks (1 on Rs. 80-125 and 2 on Rs. 80-110)
3. Lower Division Clerks (45-90)
1. Draftsman Gr.II.(120-150).
3. -do- Gr.III.(70-120).
1. Tracer, (35-55).
1. Steno-typist (45-90)
6. Peons (18-25).

IV. Additional staff for each of the 8 sub-divisions.

1 Assistant Engineer (260-500).
1. Head Clerk (80-110).
1. Lower Division Clerk (45-90).
3. Peons. (18-25).

V. Additional staff for each of the 20 sections.

1. Supervisor (100-250)
1. Peon. (18-25).

The Additional Chief Engineer, Public Works Department is requested to send a report showing the distribution of staff on

territorial basis.

4. All the existing special staff employed in the Public Works Branch solely in connection with water supply and drainage schemes will be merged in the Reorganised Sanitary Engineering Branch.

5. The sanction hereby accorded to the employment of additional staff is for a period of one year from the date of employment, in the first instance.

6. The expenditure should be debited to the relevant sub-heads under '39-a. Public Health - Public Health Establishments C. Sanitary and Deputy Sanitary Engineers .

7. The Accountant General is requested to admit the expenditure in audit pending provision of funds.

8. The Additional Chief Engineer is requested to report urgently whether the two posts of draftsmen, II grade and the two posts of draftsman, III grade mentioned in G.O. 2353 Public Health dated 29-6-1949 could not be retrenched on the reorganisation of the Sanitary Engineering Branch.

9. In regard to the proposal for a research organisation for the Sanitary Engineering Branch, the Additional Chief Engineer is requested to renew a the proposal after a decision is reached on the proposal for the transfer of the Experimental Filter Station at Kilpauk to the control of the Sanitary Engineer.

10. As regards the proposal relating to the training of the staff in the Sanitary Engineering Branch, the Additional Chief Engineer is requested to work out and report the details of the estimated cost of the proposal based on the staff of the Sanitary Engineering Branch as reorganised.

(By Order of His Excellency the Governor)

J.M. Lobo Prabhu,
Secretary to Government.

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